

HOMETOWN HARMONIES CONTEST

OFFICIAL RULES

NO PURCHASE OR PAYMENT NECESSARY TO ENTER OR WIN.

A PURCHASE OR PAYMENT WILL NOT ENHANCE YOUR CHANCES OF WINNING.

THIS CONTEST IS OPEN TO NON-PROFESSIONAL MUSICIANS ONLY; PROFESSIONAL MUSICIANS ARE NOT ELIGIBLE.

You are not eligible if you have ever received, directly or indirectly, compensation of any kind for performing, writing, producing, or creating music, which compensation has been your primary source of earning within the last 10 years.

By participating in this Contest, you agree to these Official Rules, which are a contract, so read them carefully before participating. To enter this Contest, you must have Internet access.

- **TIMING:** Entries must be submitted from **12:00 a.m. EST January 6, 2025 to 11:59 p.m. PST February 21, 2025.** Sponsor's clock will be the official timekeeping device for the Contest.
- **ELIGIBILITY:** The Contest is open to residents of the fifty (50) United States, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and U.S. Virgin Islands who are the age of majority in the entrant's jurisdiction as of date of entry. Void where prohibited. You are not eligible if you have ever received, directly or indirectly, compensation of any kind for performing, writing, producing, or creating music, which compensation has been your primary source of earning within the last 10 years. Employees, contractors, officers or directors of Sponsor and their respective affiliates, subsidiaries, as well as the immediate family members (defined as parents, spouse, children, siblings and grandparents) and those living in the same household of each such employee, contractor, officer and director are not eligible to enter, and businesses owned by these individuals are not eligible to receive a prize. Sponsor makes the final determination as to who is eligible to take part in the Contest. By participating, each Participant agrees to abide by these Official Rules and by the decisions of Sponsor, which are final and binding in all respects.

- **HOW TO ENTER:** Submit a video of your original music, no longer than 4 minutes. Entrants may submit music that is their original work or may choose to perform one of the following songs: The Star Spangled Banner, God Bless America, or America the Beautiful. One video and one entry containing one song per contestant. Repeat posts will not be counted. Entries must comply with all terms and policies of the Platform on which they are posted. Sponsor makes the final determination as to what Entries are eligible to take part in the Contest. By entering, each entrant warrants that the music and the video are entrant's original work, and the video was created by and/or under the direction of the entrant. By submitting the music, you grant to Sponsor the perpetual, unlimited and irrevocable right to post, publish, adapt, edit, make derivative works and/or otherwise use the comment in any manner, for any purpose and in any media now known or hereinafter developed, for Contest, commercial, or any other purpose.
- **HOW TO WIN:** All entries will be evaluated on the following criteria ("**Judging Criteria**"):
 - Musical skill
 - Showmanship
 - Quality of video
 - In the case of original works, creativity and originality

Sponsor will select 20 semi-finalists from eligible entries. A first round of online voting via social media channels will then determine 4 finalists. A second round of online voting will then be used to rank the finalists as first through fourth place. ("Ranked Entrants")

- **OFFICIAL RULES.** By entering the Contest, entrants warrant they have read and understand these Official Rules and agree to be bound by them and to release, discharge and hold harmless Sponsor, Prize Partner, and their respective parents, affiliates, subsidiaries, retailers, agencies and all of their respective officers, directors, employees and agents (collectively "Released Parties") from any and all liability, claims, judgments, losses, injuries,

demands, damages, actions and/or causes of actions, whether direct or indirect, which may be due to or arise out of participation in the Contest.

- **ADDITIONAL TERMS:** Sponsor may prohibit a Participant from participating in the Contest if, in its sole discretion, it determines that said Participant is attempting to undermine the legitimate operation of the Contest by cheating, hacking, deception or other unfair practices or intending to annoy, abuse, threaten or harass any other Participants or Sponsor or its agents, or if Participant has or has attempted to submit malicious code, .exe files or any file that contains malicious code. Each entry must be manually key stroked by the individual Participant; automated and/or repetitive submissions of Entries will be disqualified.
- **WINNERS:** A potential prize winner's assessment will be under supervision of Sponsor, whose decisions are final and binding on all matters relating to the Sweepstakes. The selected potential prize winner will be notified via electronic message on approximately April 1st, 2025 and presented with an Affidavit of Eligibility. Subject to verification of eligibility and compliance with these Official Rules, the potential winner will be declared an official winner of the Contest (a "Prize Winner"). If any selected potential winner does not respond to Sponsor within forty-eight (48) hours of being notified, is found to be ineligible, is not able to receive the Sponsor's notification or cannot or does not comply with these Official Rules, or cannot or does not wish to perform at the American Rodeo, such potential winner may be disqualified, and the Sponsor may select the next highest ranked entrant as an alternate potential winner. If none of the ranked entrants are determined to be eligible or able and willing to accept the prize and perform at the American Rodeo, Sponsor may at its sole discretion choose a non-ranked entrant among all remaining eligible entries based on the Judging Criteria.
- **PRIZES:** On dates in 2025 to be determined by sponsor:
- Ability to perform their music at The American Rodeo in Arlington, Texas, April 11 or 12, 2025.

- Round trip economy air travel to Arlington, TX and a hotel stay for two (2) nights for the winner and one companion.
- Sponsor may video and photograph the visit and use the video or photos for promotional purposes.
- Approximate retail value of prize is \$1,000.
- **ADDITIONAL PRIZE TERMS:** All Prize details not stated in the above prize description will be determined by Sponsor in its sole and final discretion. The Prize does **not** include a cash award, any guarantees of future performance, or a recording contract. Prize Winner will be solely responsible for all costs, fees and expenses not expressly stated in the prize description. Any difference between the approximate retail value and the actual value will not be awarded and any difference will not be refunded. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Prize Winner is responsible for all federal, state and local taxes and any other taxes associated with award, acceptance and/or use of the prize excluding taxes included in the cost of the prize. Actual value of prize may vary. No refunds or credit for changes are allowed. Prize Winner is strictly prohibited from selling, auctioning, trading or otherwise transferring the prize (or portion thereof). Prize is nontransferable and no substitution or cash equivalent is allowed, except in Sponsor's sole discretion. Sponsor reserves the right to substitute a prize or prizes of the same approximate retail value for the prize (or portion thereof). The Released Parties, individually and collectively, are not responsible for any injuries or loss to Prize Winner or guest in using the prize. The Released Parties will not replace any lost, mutilated or stolen prizes or prize elements or any prize elements that are undeliverable or do not reach the winner because of an incorrect or changed address or other contact information. If Sponsor determines at any time in its sole discretion that a winner or potential winner is ineligible or in violation of these Official Rules, Sponsor reserves the right in its sole discretion to disqualify that person, even if he or she has been notified or announced as a winner.
- **LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY:** The Released Parties are not responsible for, and specifically disclaim any liability for or arising out of, any of the following regardless of cause, in connection with the Contest: (1) any incorrect or

inaccurate information, whether caused by Participants, wireless carriers, Internet Service Providers (“ISP”) or unauthorized human intervention; (2) technical difficulties or failures of any kind including, but not limited to, malfunctions, interruptions or disconnections in transmissions or connections, phone lines, network hardware or software, computers, equipment, programming errors, cable, satellite, cellular tower or ISP or wireless carriers; (3) bugs, viruses, worms, Trojan horses or similar malicious attacks; (4) typographical, printing, network, mechanical, electronic, technical, human or other errors or malfunctions; (5) any responsibility and/or liability with respect to the contest and/or the prize (including any property loss, damage, personal injury or death) in connection with participation in this Contest, the offering or announcement of any prize, or the acceptance/possession, use/misuse and/or defects of the prize awarded herein; (6) lost, incomplete, late, misdirected, garbled, undelivered, incomplete, stolen or mutilated transactions, subscriptions or entries; or garbled, lost, misrouted or scrambled transmissions; or (7) unauthorized human and/or mechanical intervention in the Contest or any other part of the participation process in this Contest.

- **RELEASE.** By entering, Participant agrees to accept and abide by the Official Rules of this Contest. All decisions by Sponsor regarding this Contest are final. By entering, Participant agrees to be notified using the contact information provided as part of entry by Sponsor for the purposes of the administration of this Contest. By entering and/or accepting a prize, Participant agrees to release, defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Released Parties from all injury, loss or damage to person, including death or property due, in whole or in part, directly or indirectly, to the acceptance or use/misuse of a prize, participation in the Contest and any related activity. Neither Sponsor nor its affiliates are responsible for any typographical or other error in the printing of these Official Rules, administration of the Contest, or in the announcement or distribution of any prize or prize element. In no event will more than the stated number of prizes be awarded. In the event Sponsor is prevented from continuing with this Contest, or the integrity and/or feasibility of the Contest is undermined by any event including, but not limited to, fire, flood, epidemic, pandemic, earthquake, explosion, labor dispute or strike, act of God or public enemy, satellite or equipment failure, riot or civil disturbance, war (declared or undeclared), terrorist threat or

activity, or any federal, state or local government law, order or regulation, order of any court or jurisdiction, or by other cause not reasonably within Sponsor's control (each a "Force Majeure" event), Sponsor shall have the right, in its discretion, to abbreviate, modify, suspend, cancel, or terminate the Contest without further obligation. In no event will more than the stated number of prizes be awarded. If Sponsor, in its sole discretion, elects to abbreviate the Contest as a result of a Force Majeure event, Sponsor reserves the right, but shall have no obligation, to award the prizes from among all valid and eligible entries received up to the time of such Force Majeure event. All entries are the property of Sponsor and will not be returned.

- By entering, Participants agree that all issues and questions concerning the construction, validity, interpretation and enforceability of these Official Rules, participant's rights and obligations, and the rights and obligations of Sponsor and the Released Parties in connection with the Contest, shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the state of Texas, without giving effect to any choice of law or conflict of law rules. By entering, Participants consent to the jurisdiction and venue of the federal, state and local courts located in Arlington, TX.
- **OFFICIAL RULES/WINNER'S LIST.** For a winners' list, no later than 60 days after the selection of the winner, email [support@tetonridgeplus.com]. Limit one (1) request per email address.
- **PRIVACY POLICY:** Please see Sponsor's privacy policy located at www.tetonridge.com/privacy/ for details of Sponsor's policy regarding the use of personal information collected in connection with this Contest. By entering the Contest, Participants agree that any personal information submitted by Participants may be shared between Sponsor and its partners for the purposes of Contest administration.

- **SPONSOR & ADMINISTRATOR:** Teton Ridge, LLC. C/O Franklin Monroe Administrative Services, LLC., 227 West Monroe Street, Suite 5000, Chicago, Illinois 60606. No social media channels sponsor or administer this contest.